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## The Morrow Pamphlet.

The pamphlet issued in the form of an address to Methodist conference now assembled at Pacific Grove, petitioning that body to reopen the matter of the charges preferred at the last conference against the ministerial character of the Rev. F. A. Morrow, under the pressure of which charge he withdrew from conference, has been circulated broadcast in this community. An announcement in another column states that they may be had free of charge at the residence of the ex-elderly man in Jackson, or a copy will be sent to any address, by mail, on receipt of four cents postage. The document is a remarkable production in several ways; not because of any additional light that it throws upon the scandals anonymous letters, or their authorship; for we cannot see that it adds one title of information beyond that which has been a matter of common notoriety. The one query that will be uppermost in the mind of the impartial reader of the pamphlet will be: "What was this pamphlet published for? What motive prompted its circulation in advance of the assembling of the ecclesiastical body to whom it was addressed and to which the publisher appealed for redress of alleged grievances? Is that the proper course to take before any investigating tribunal—to print and scatter broadcast a one-sided and palpably prejudiced statement of the case?

Much of the contents of this pamphlet is mere twaddle; some of it presses close to, if it does not actually overlap, the line of unreliable matter.

The certificate of Superior Judge R. C. Rust was affixed as to the responsibility of the five taxpayers. These taxpayers are responsible for the safe return of the books and case, and for damages other than ordinary wear.

In order to start the library the books will be kept in the Ledger office or a room in the Webb building, and the editor of the Ledger will take charge of the same as secretary, until other arrangements can be made. The application went forward to the state librarian yesterday and the library will no doubt be received in the course of a few days.

There are 50 volumes in each library, on different subjects, science, history, travel, biography, fiction, etc. A library can be held not longer than six months, when it must be returned, and another sent in its place. The books are loaned free of charge to any person who will agree to take good care of the same, and promptly return them after use. The library will be kept open for at least one hour of three days in each week for the taking out or exchange of books.

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## Plead Gilty of Murder.

A singular situation in criminal matters developed at the arraignment of Samuel E. Swearingen, alias Love, before the superior court last Wednesday. Love is accused with Clarence E. Murphy, of the murder of Mrs. Pheobe Williams, and her grandson Chester E. Maker, in Lanaha Plaza in June last. Love has made a confession, in writing, of his connection with the crimes, which is in the hands of the officers. At the meeting of the grand jury called specially to look into the matter, both were formally indicted for murder. Love has made no attempt to secure an attorney to conduct his defense. When brought before the court Wednesday, he was asked if he had any attorney, that if not the court would appoint one for him. He replied that he had none and did not want any, saying I don't see that an attorney can do any good." He appeared ready to make a plea of guilty, which in this case would leave the court no other alternative, if accepted, of passing the death sentence.

The court would not permit this, and continued the arraignment until this morning, stating that if he had not an attorney by that time, the court would appoint one.

This morning the court appointed D. B. Spagnoli as his counsel. Defendant still insisted upon entering a plea of guilty, and Monday next evidence will be taken to determine the grade of the murder.

**NEWLY INVENTED SOLDER,** Composition Into Which Aluminum Is Introduced Proves Satisfactory.

The experimenters with aluminum at last cry Eureka and produce a solder which solders, says the Chicago Tribune. Tin, zinc, lead, and aluminum are used in definite proportions, together with a small quantity of resin to act as a flux or protecting covering to the metals when being melted. The most satisfactory results, the inventors say, have been obtained with a mixture comprising 64 parts by weight of tin, 30 parts zinc, one part lead, and one part aluminum, to which is added a small quantity of resin.

To apply the solder to the surfaces that are to be joined the meeting edges are simply cleaned or scraped and the surfaces then faced with the solder. The surfaces are not subjected to any chemical or other like bath such as are required for the majority of solders used for this purpose.

While any ordinary soldering tool may be used, the inventors prefer one of aluminum in place of one of copper. The surfaces of the metals that are to be joined are subjected to a gentle heat for assisting the deposit of the molten solder when flowing from the soldering iron.

See our new lines of shoes just arrived, all of our departments are full of new goods. We invite you in, we don't care if you don't buy, come and see our new lines. Jackson Shoe Store.

DeWITT'S  
WITCH HAZEL  
SALVE  
THE ORIGINAL

## A Well Known Cure for Piles.

The Ledger is in receipt of the following from the state librarian, James L. Gillis.

## Sacramento, Sept. 8, 1905.

Jackson, Cal.—Gentlemen:—We noticed in the Ledger of August 4, an item, "Why not a public library?" and we were very much interested. We have tried many times to interest different people of your town in the state traveling libraries, but we have not obtained any results as yet, and are glad to know that you are giving the proposition your attention. We enclose the circular and application blank, and will send a library to Jackson as soon as the taxpayers' and secretary's agreement blank is returned to us properly filled out.

You can easily get together five tax payers, and get the library there, and then with a few notices in your paper the people will respond very quickly, and appreciate your help in the matter. There is no doubt about its being a success there, and we will expect your application soon. Yours truly, James L. Gillis State Librarian. By Laura Steffens, deputy traveling library department."

As soon as the above mentioned documents were received, we started to secure the signatures of five tax payers to form the Jackson Library Association, and to act as trustees. The following were secured. J. H. Langhorst, George L. Thomas, Richard Webb, W. F. Detert and M. Newman.

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## AMADOR.

W. H. Williams left Thursday on a visit to San Francisco.

Walter Harris was a passenger on the outgoing stage, on Saturday last.

Mr. Mann, manager of the Keystone Co.'s store, visited Jackson on Sunday accompanied by his friend Miss Orla Torre, one of Amador's most popular young ladies.

Miss Josie Mooney left for Drytown on Monday, to take up a position as assistant teacher in the local school.

Amador school opened last Monday. A large crowd in attendance. Mr. Ball is principal.

S. J. McDonald, president of the Keystone mine, left for San Francisco on Wednesday, after spending a week on business in Amador.

J. R. Tregloan, and his son, J. B. Tregloan, returned to Amador after a prolonged absence.

T. B. Morton, late engineer of the Keystone, left last week for San Francisco. The lone and Eastern Co.'s stage, which leaves here daily is beginning to well patronized. This stage now has most of the public travel from Amador and Drytown districts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Culbert have returned after spending a short visit at Sacramento.

John Antonovich left for Sacramento—it is said to meet his intended—who is coming out from the old country. Grenfell.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

RON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE.

Estate and guardianship of Negalka and Peter Dragomanovich—Final account and petition for discharge by guardian; Sept 23, appointed for hearing same.

People vs F. M. Staples—Further hearing on settlement of defendant's bill of exceptions, and said bill settled.

Estate of Luigi Gazzera—Return of sale of real estate filed. Four lots in New Chicago sold to Dominico Gazzera for \$180, and part of lot in Drytown for \$102.50. September 23 appointed for hearing.

Estate of G. A. Douet—Return of sale of personal property made. On September 6 the following sales were made: 817 gallons of wine to Alice Cergneux for \$163.40; 343 gallons of brandy to Marr Bros for \$403.50; 5 gallons wine to M. Newman for \$3.75; total \$570.65, September 16 appointed for hearing on said sales.

People vs Clarence Murphy, murder—Arraignment set for Sept. 25.

People vs Thomas Freeman—Arraignment set for September 16, on two charges of assault with a deadly weapon.

People vs Joe Bacigalupi—Information filed. Defendant arraigned on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon at the Indian camp, near Scottsville, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to 18 months in Folsom prison.

New Cases.

Estate of James W. Shearor—Will. Going petitions for letters of administration. Deceased died in Amador county Dec. 3, 1893, leaving 120 acres in section 6 township 7 range 13, valued at \$1000. The heirs are Malinda Shearor, widow, aged 70, and residing on the Shearor ranch near Volcano; also A. J. Shearor, Frederick Shearor, J. E. Shearor, sons, and Mrs. Margaret Denend, daughter of deceased, and a number of grandchildren. Petitioner is the nominee of the widow, and at her request has applied for letters.

Misses Morrow, Newman, Devan, Bernechich, McLaughlin, Gartien, W. H. Greenhalgh.

Total

269

## Teachers' Certificates.

The following were the successful applicants for teachers' certificates at the meeting of the Board of Education held last week.

A. T. Baldwin, Stockton; Zadia A. Newell, Oleta; Pearl Warren, Siskiyou Co.; Isabel Callis, Ione; Emma Baker, Kansas; Edith V. Hollingsworth, San Francisco; Claudia V. Hunsicker, Davisville; Sayde Edsinger, Santa Clara Co.; Lorene Kelley, Willows; Ismay Wilson, Stockton; Hazel E. Turner, Sutter Creek;

Almena Goodman passed the examination but was under 18 years of age it was impossible for the board to grant her a certificate.

Besides granting certificates to the successful applicants the board adopted three additional text books for use in the schools of Amador county, as follows: The Children's First Reader, to be used the first year with the Primer; Children's Third and Fourth Readers. These are issued by the state and are to replace the revised reader heretofore used in the several grades. They were adopted for use at once, as the state authorities make their use compulsory after January first next.

BORN.

SANGUINETTI—Near Jackson, September 9, 1905, to the wife of Lawrence Sanguineti, twin-boy and girl.

HORTON—Near Ione, September 10, 1905; to the wife of Fred A. Horton, a daughter.

DIED.

ROBINSON—In the county hospital, September 13, 1905; James Robinson, a native of Ireland, age 75 years.

A Laxative Cough Syrup.

"A cold or cough nearly always produces constipation—the water all runs to the eyes, nose and throat instead of passing out of the system through the liver and kidneys. For the want of moisture the bowels become dry and hard." Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original Laxative Cough Syrup. It meets and corrects the above conditions, by acting as a pleasant cathartic on the bowels—expels all colds from the system and cures all coughs, croup, whooping cough, la grippe, bronchitis, etc. Sold at the City Pharmacy.

M. A. 2331.

MINING APPLICATION NO. 2331. UNITED STATES Land Office, Sacramento, Calif., September 10, 1905. The undersigned, Margaret C. Quinn, et al., of Jackson Amador County, California, have made application to the Surveyor General to Survey a portion of the State Quarter Section Survey No. 335, in section 10, T. 5 N., R. 11 E., in Jackson Mining District, Amador County, described as follows: Beginning at a corner in the south line of the section on W. boundary of Sec. 10, T. 5 N., R. 11 E., bears S. 75 deg. 45 min. W. 1785 feet dist.: thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist.: thence E. 60 ft. to cor. No. 2; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 4; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 1, the place of beginning, corner, and thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 3; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 5; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 6; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 7; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 8; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 9; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 10; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 11; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 12; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 13; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 14; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 15; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 16; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 17; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 18; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 19; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 20; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 21; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 22; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 23; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 24; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 25; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 26; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 27; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 28; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 29; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 30; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 31; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 32; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 33; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 34; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 35; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 36; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 37; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 38; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 39; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 40; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 41; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 42; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 43; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 44; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 45; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 46; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 47; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 48; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 49; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 50; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 51; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 52; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 53; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 54; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 55; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 56; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 57; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 58; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 59; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 60; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 61; thence N. 9 deg. 23 min. E. 1500 ft. to cor. No. 62; thence W. 20 ft. to cor. No. 63; thence N. 15 deg. 45 min. E. 1785 feet dist. to cor. No. 64; thence N. 9

## TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	Temp. L. H.	Rain. Inches	Date.	Temp. L. H.	Rain. Inches
Sept 1 (05)	58	90	Sept 17 (05)	58	18.
2	59	90	18	58	18.
3	59	89	19	58	30.
4	59	88	20	58	31.
5	59	86	21	58	22.
6	58	85	22	58	23.
7	58	84	23	58	24.
8	58	92	24	58	25.
9	58	90	25	58	26.
10	58	80	26	58	27.
11	48	86	27	58	28.
12	48	86	28	58	29.
13	48	84	29	58	30.
14	48	84	30	58	31.
15	48	84	31	58	31.
16	48	84			

Total rainfall for season to date... 32.31 inches

To corresponding period last season 35.36 "

## Additional Locals.

Fresh picked olives of the season just received; 65¢ per gallon; Nettie's market.

John Ekel, has returned to Plymouth. He served a term of 18 months in the state prison for shooting at one Ed Keyes, when under the influence of liquor in Plymouth. He was liberated after 15 months. There was much sympathy expressed for Ekel at the time.

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone Main 404; residence No. 523, Jackson, Cal.

The board of supervisors will meet next Monday to fix the tax rate for the current year. Although there is a drop in the state rate of four cents, it is not like that there will be any reduction in the total of state and county levy. The county funds are pretty well exhausted, and with several heavy criminal cases ahead, the prospect is more for increase rather than decrease in the cost of the local government. Unless the road is cut down, which is hardly likely, the tax rate will no doubt reach, if not pass, the high figures of last year.

The pain of sunburn stops as soon as you apply Ruhser's Cold Cream.

Headaches from any cause yield promptly to Ruhser's Headache Powders. Quick and sure relief guaranteed.

W. H. Greenhalgh and bride arrived in Jackson after their bridal tour, the latter part of last week, and have taken up their residence at the old Greenhalgh homestead at the corner of Court street and Volcano road.

Don't let people pull the wool over your eyes, by putting out baits and get you in. Our goods sell just as they are marked. See our ad Jackson Shoe Store.

A social dance will be given by Prof. Holland, in Love's hall tomorrow evening September 16th. Admission, ladies free, gentlemen \$1. Dancing commences at 9 o'clock.

Shave yourself—save time—save money—save your face—Shaving supplies in plenty at the City Pharmacy.

Prof. Holland, teacher of calligraphy, organized a dancing class in Love's hall Wednesday evening. After the class was formed a dance was given, and kept up with spirit until one o'clock next morning.

Get wise and see our prices on all kinds of goods, we mean to sell good goods at a cheap price. Jackson Shoe Store.

Prof. Holland will give a grand masquerade ball, in Love's hall, Jackson, Saturday night, September 30. Watch for posters next week.

Al Swinson fell about 10 feet in the Kennedy mine yesterday, but received no serious injuries.

John Mattley on Tuesday last at West Point was run over by a wagon.

The vehicle passed over his left leg bruising it badly. No bones were broken, but the victim is laid up as a result.

Henry Largue this morning in the Argonaut met with a misfortune. He approached a point where a miner was employed in driving wedges, close to the shaft in one of the levels.

The wielder of the hammer, not knowing of the presence of Largue, struck him between the eyes with the hammer, inflicting a bad wound and nearly knocking him down the shaft.

## A Blanket Mortgage.

The biggest mortgage ever filed for record in Amador county was left with the county recorder on September 11, 1905. It was filed at the request of W. W. Davis, an attorney for the Southern Pacific Company.

The parties to the mortgage are the Southern Pacific R. R. Company and Southern Pacific Co. on the one side and the Equitable Trust Co. of New York on the other. The mortgage is to secure the payment of the bonds of the railroad company to the amount of \$160,000,000 authorized issue dated January 3, 1905; the principal of which is payable January 1, 1955. The bonds bear four per cent interest, payable semi annually on the first day of January and July. The mortgage covers all lines owned by the Southern Pacific Company, and is made not only for the purpose of securing the outstanding bonds, but also to provide funds to improve, extend and construct additional lines. It is to be recorded twice, once as a mortgage upon the realty and again as a chattel mortgage covering the personal property. The document consists of 111 pages of printed matter, with 7½ pages of notary acknowledgements. The recording fee amounted to \$71, for upwards of 26,000 words.

Call and see the immense new stock at Pete Piccardo's.

## Always Successful.

When indigestion becomes chronic it is dangerous. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure indigestion and all troubles resulting therefrom, thus preventing Catarrh of the Stomach. Dr. Newbrough, of League, W. Va., says: "To those suffering from indigestion or sour stomach I would say there is no better remedy than Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have prescribed it for a number of my patients with good success." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold at the City Pharmacy.

J. W. Ruhser can fill your wants in the drug and stationery line at the City Pharmacy.

Miss Sweeney, milliner, returned Wednesday evening, to attend to the millinery business for Mrs. K. Delahide.

John Guisto returned Wednesday evening after a few days' visit at the capital.

L. J. Fontenrose, accompanied by his wife, returned from San Francisco Saturday evening. He went to get medical advice as to his health, which has been failing for some time.

C. H. Crocker, the attorney, has been in San Francisco, and other places for the past two weeks, called thither on legal business, is expected home this evening. While in the city he was unexpectedly called to Santa Rosa, and this has delayed his return.

William Penry Jr., and wife attended the carnival at Sacramento. The first named returned Tuesday evening. Mrs. Penry remained at the capital for a visit with friends.

We make a specialty of printing all kinds of notes, receipts, checks, etc. Send your orders to the Ledger.

SCOTT'S EMULSION won't make a hump back straight, neither will it make a short leg, but it feeds soft bone and heals diseased bone and is among the few genuine means of recovery in rickets and bone consumption.

Send for sample.

SCOTT & BOWMAN, Chemists,

409-415 Pearl Street, New York.

soc. and \$1.00; all druggists.

Alpha.



## A New Way to Get Rid of Rats.

Melvin Ford, of the firm of Ford and Cofer, of Jackson, has hit upon an effectual way to get rid of rats.

Where he lives on Main street, he has been bothered with these pests considerably. They made their homes between the ceiling and roof, and also under the floor, often creating such a noise as to keep the inmates awake at night.

To destroy them by means of poison would leave their carcasses to decay within the premises, and dead rats would be about as much a nuisance as the live article.

So he concocted a plan of his own to get over the trouble, without annoyance from the afterclap. He trapped two live rats in the blacksmith shop. He then gave them a dip up to the necks in a preparation of glue or mucilage.

When fairly charged with this sticky substance, he let the rodents into a lot of small chicken feathers.

Of course the feathers stuck to the glue and formed a downy coat that not only scared the victims, but also all other rodents of the same species that happened to come in sight.

One of these feather-coated animals he turned loose above the ceiling of the dwelling, and the other beneath the floor.

And they scampered for dear life.

There was a great racket for a while afterward.

The other rats did not know what to make of the strange intruders, and ran away from them.

At the same time, the docile rats ran to keep up with the other, and to secure companionship with their kind.

So the race to get away, and to keep pace was kept up for some time.

The result was that all the varmints have been scared from the premises, and it is probable it will be a long time before any of them are bold enough to take up their abode in their accustomed haunts.

If they do Ford will simply repeat the performance, and finally scare them off altogether.

AUKUM.

The Evening Shade school started Monday with Zada Newell, of Oleta as teacher.

Mrs. Fred Ruffo of Chinese Camp, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity for some time past, returned home last week.

Mrs. Seeley and granddaughter, Hattie, visited the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Berry, of Pine Grove last week.

Rev. Phillips of Plymouth preached at Pigeon Creek Sunday to a good audience.

Kasper and wife, are stopping on Mr. Boynton's ranch, while he and his wife are in Sacramento.

Newt Perry and wife, who are visiting relatives in San Francisco, are expected home soon.

Anna Uhlinger, who has been visiting her parents, for three weeks, has returned to Mills' Station, where she is at work.

Blanche Gottinet is working for Mrs. R. Upton, of Shenandoah.

Geo. Ames is nursing Mr. Kirkendall, who is quite sick.

Mrs. H. K. Putman, of Michigan, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wrigglesworth, for some time, has returned to her home.

George Cruson, who has been in Plymouth sick and under the care of Dr. Norman, has returned to his place once more.

Mrs. A. Uhlinger and daughter Lena, visited friends in Oleta Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Walton of Plymouth is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Brunfield.

None.

PINE GROVE.

Times continue to improve. Every body and his neighbor seems to be living in harmony with the world at large.

Mrs. Batz accompanied by her son Vernon, left for the bay city Saturday, the latter to enter high school.

We are glad to welcome David Fisher Jr. back, after a sojourn of several years abroad.

Earl Liveredge, in company with Mark Williams, paid us a visit of several days last week returning to Amador on Friday morning.

Frank Blakley returned from Sacramento this week, where he has been in attendance at the fair.

Frank reports a royal good time, and says one of the greatest attractions for old and young was the ox team from Whitmore's saw mill.

A. C. McDonald spent two days in Sutter Creek last week, in the interest of the Mitchell mine.

Several of our town's people attended the hop in Volcano Saturday evening and declared that when you want an all-round good time go to Volcano.

Mr. Triggs was down one day last week, and reported plenty of frost in the neighborhood of Wiley's.

Mrs. Olney has been quite ill for several days, but we are glad to hear of her convalescence.

Mrs. Hilda Leak, entertained friends on Friday evening. After participating in games, music, and ice cream, they returned to their respective homes wishing that Hilda would entertain soon again. Those present were, Mayme Luttrell, Elsie Luttrell, Ethel Walker, Troy Barnes, Hilda Leak, Eddie Luttrell, Vernon Batz, Kelso Ballentine, Earl Liveredge, and Miss Daisy Littlefield.

Fire Warning.

E. T. Allen, State Forester located at Sacramento, has sent out a notice which is posted in the Jackson post office, warning the general public against the danger of forest fires. He calls special attention to the penalties and provisions of the law on the subject contained in 235 of the statutes of 1905, and 602 of the Penal Code.

A little care on the part of hunters and others at this season will save a vast deal of trouble.

## ADMISSION-DAY CELEBRATION.

## Amador County Carries Off the Honors at Sacramento.

The excursion train that left the Martell depot for Sacramento on the evening of Friday last consisted of about 200 persons. They were accommodated in two flat cars—the makeshift arrangements heretofore used by the Ione and Eastern railroad until their regular passenger cars arrived from the east. It is needless to say that the excursionists were pretty closely packed. There was neither standing nor sitting room to spare. It was thought that when they reached Ione they would be transferred into the spacious passenger cars of Southern Pacific. This hope however was not realized. The excursionists were carried to Galt in the same passenger cars. And at Galt, where they felt sure of being released from duration, there were no other coaches to be had, so the decorated flat cars were hurried along with their human freight to the capital city at the clipping gait of sixty miles an hour, with out a stop. By the time the train pulled into the Sacramento depot, it appeared as if it had been struck with a cyclone. The contact with the breeze had shorn the cars of much of the top covering the bunting was in tatters. Nevertheless the trip was safely made and thousands of persons lined the depot to greet the pioneers and Native Sons from Amador.

The part that was played by the representatives of the Native Sons and Daughters of Amador county was the most unique feature of the entire parade at Sacramento, last Saturday. If other parades, and other delegations represented modern costume, and foreign novelty; good old Amador was the real embodiment of what the native sons and daughters stand for! They picturesquely represented in dramatic effect what their fathers and mothers were and did.

What Easterner, viewing for the first time a Native Son's parade, would not instantly turn from a section of young women dressed in Japanese costume, on a band of young men dressed in the duds attire of Broadway, to the picturesque figure of Charlie Peters of Jackson, togged out in strict accordance with the fashion of 1849, with his selfsame trusty revolver in his belt and knife in his boots that proved such trusty friends in 1849. Or who could linger on more modern ways when the silvery hair and beard of F. M. Whitmore, another pioneer 82 years young, appeared in the Amador delegation. The delegation from Amador was composed of members from Amador Parlor No 17 of Sutter Creek, Excelsior Parlor No 31 of Jackson, Lone Parlor No 23 and Keystone Parlor No 173. These parades united in forming an immigration train, representing the pioneers crossing the plains. The train was led by J. C. Norris, representing chief Mickee, the Indian guide, and was marshaled by W. M. Amick of Lone, who was mounted on a black charger.

At the M. E. quarterly conference last evening an unusual but pleasing proceeding took place. In

the M. E. church the selection of pastors is left to the annual conference of the clergy. But last evening the congregation of the local M. E. church extended a call to Rev. Dr. Phelps. During the session F. H. Gray in making a motion for a call to Dr. Phelps, reviewed the work of the pastor and the condition of the church. The conference by a rising vote unanimously supported the motion of Mr. Gray. During his stay in Oroville, Dr. Phelps has become very popular, not alone with his congregation, but with the citizens of Oroville, irrespective of religious belief. He is a broad-minded man, earnest in his work, and very able in the pulpit. A ripe scholar and an able speaker, Dr. Phelps is an ornament to the town.

Both pastor and flock are to be congratulated on their extremely kind relations.

Outside of the church the news that Dr. Phelps will remain in Oroville will be received with great satisfaction. He is a man of whom it can be truly said that he has "malice toward none and charity for all."

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